

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 February 2 2015 to 1800 February 2 2015



Entrance to Valentine Cave, Lava Beds National Monument, Siskiyou County

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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Highly Pathogenic H5N8 Avian Influenza Confirmed in Commercial Turkey Flock in California

Jan. 24, 2015— In a press release, the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) has confirmed the presence of highly pathogenic (HPAI) H5N8 avian influenza in a commercial turkey flock in Stanislaus County, California. This is the first finding of HPAI in commercial poultry during the ongoing disease incident in the Pacific Flyway. **No human cases of these avian influenza viruses have been detected in the United States, Canada, or internationally, and there continues to be no immediate public health concern.** APHIS and CDFA have initiated an incident command response, and APHIS will assist the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) in depopulating the remaining birds on the property to prevent the spread of the disease.

- Cal OES Telecommunications Duty Officer (TDO) and California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA) are providing assistance to CDFA and USDA to ensure adequate cellular communications connectivity at the designated ICP. Telecommunications continues to work with CUEA and Verizon Wireless assisting CDFA with communications support.
- Mission 2015-INLAND-8419 has been opened and an incident has been created in Cal EOC: 2015-01-24 - Stanislaus - H5N8 Avian Influenza.
- Cal OES Inland Region has deployed a field Emergency Services Coordinator to the ICP to assist CDFA and USDA. The hours of operation are 0800 – 1900. The field ESC demobilized from the ICP on 01/31.
- The USDA IMAT #4 and one representative from CDFA will utilize Cal OES facilities as their operations center. All other State department representatives are working from their headquarter locations to support the activation. IMT#4 Operational Period will be from 0730 – 1730 hours. An joint ICP with USDA/CDFA has been opened in Stanislaus County. The hours of operation are 0800 to 1900.
- On 01/30 depopulation of the infected flock was completed. Surveillance of the control area continues with the remaining residents not yet contacted in person. Outreach was completed in all six counties.
- Delivery of outreach information (about the disease and the importance of protecting domestic birds from infection) to various agriculture groups, organizations, agencies, feed stores, pet stores, and veterinary clinics was completed in three counties. Outreach is scheduled to continue tomorrow in three additional counties.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Structure Fires, 22<sup>nd</sup> and Hyde Streets, San Francisco**

SF DEM has decided to open a shelter at 1800 on 1/30/15 for 90 residents that were displaced in two recent fires (1/28 displaced 67 and 1/29 displaced 23). Because residents had been given 2 day hotel vouchers, SF DEM expects that they will need sheltering starting tonight and, possibly through Friday, Feb 6.

The shelter at 1156 Valencia Street (Mission Corps Community Center) will be staffed by the American Red Cross with meal support provided by the Salvation Army. Coastal Region Duty Officer (CDO) continues to monitor the situation. Overnight shelter population: 41

## **Jose Ortega Elementary School Evacuation due to Bomb Threat, San Francisco, San Francisco County**

At 0945 hours, the California State Warning Center became aware of media reports that on February 2, 2015 at approximately 0738 hours, Jose Ortega Elementary School was evacuated after a bomb threat note was found on campus.

- Per Media reports, students had been told to go home with their parents and teachers and students unable to return with parents had been evacuated to I.T. Bookman Community Center. San Francisco Police Department Bomb Squad responded to the scene.
- As of 0958 hours, Cal OES LDO and Cal OES Coastal Region advised that the Bomb Squad concluded their search with negative results. Local authorities concluded that there was no threat to the school and allowed all persons to return to the school.

## **Weather of Concern**

- No significant Watches or Warnings are in effect.

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

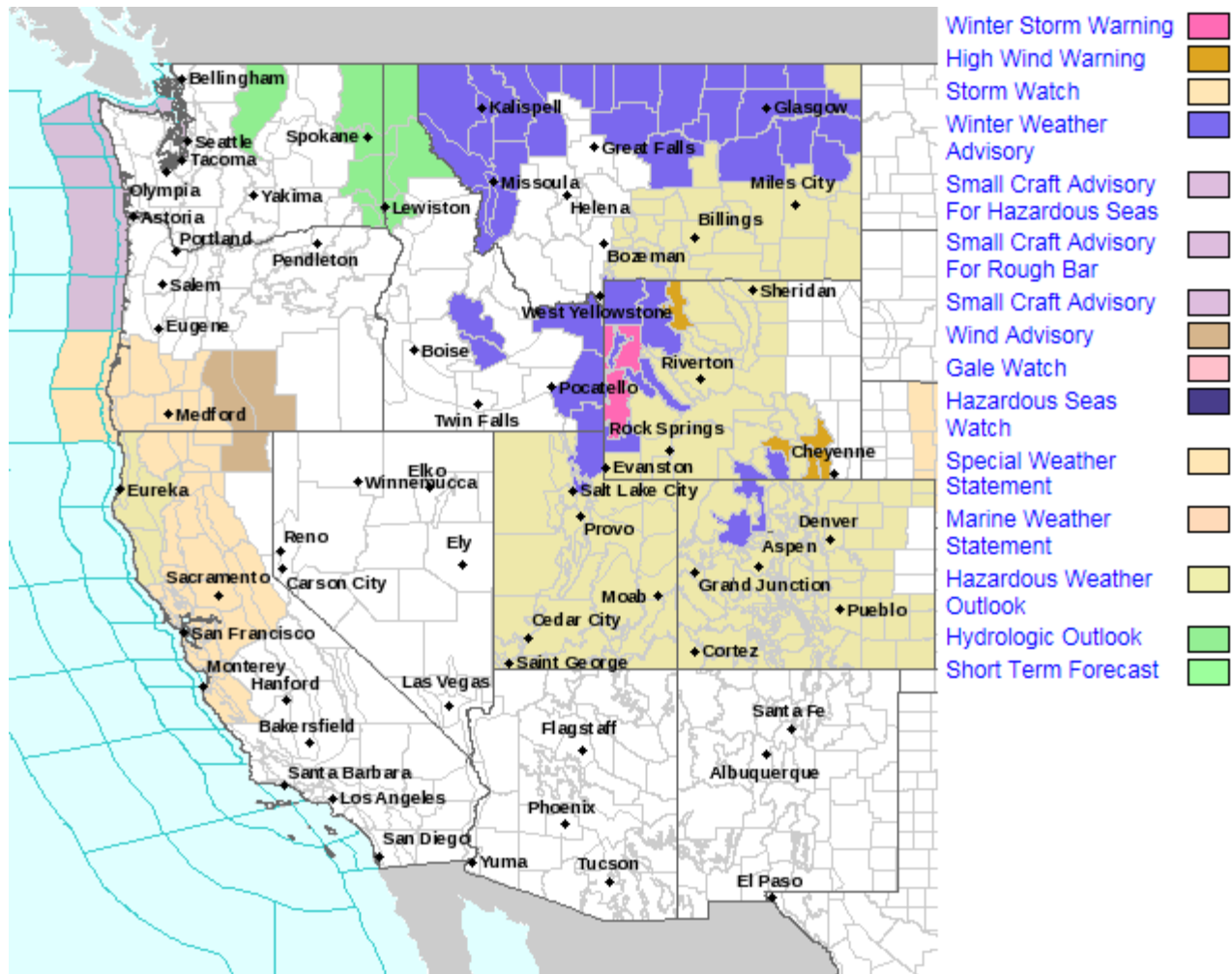
### Northern California

A weak, but wet weather system is moving across the northern areas of California today with some significant rainfall totals while the south half remains dry. Snow levels will remain very, very high. Showers and cloudiness will continue in the far northern areas Tuesday as a high pressure ridge slowly rebounds over California. Mostly sunny, dry weather is expected in the south Tuesday and all areas Wednesday in between weather systems, although the high pressure ridge will already be moving east into the Great Basin. Wednesday night the start of a rather wet period begins to push ashore with most areas seeing precipitation develop during the day Thursday. Friday into next Monday will continue to be a wet period. Snow levels will remain high, and areas east of the Cascade/Sierra crest will see much lighter precipitation overall and it will start there more over the weekend than Thursday or Friday. Temperatures will generally remain above seasonable values over the next 7 days, especially overnight lows. Snow levels will also remain quite high, mostly 7000 feet or higher. Conditions are expected to become rather windy with the arrival of the system later this week. Winds will become southerly and increase to moderate to strong speeds in most areas, and gusts in most higher elevation areas may be around 40-55 mph Thursday through the weekend.

### Southern California

High pressure aloft will remain over southern and Central California through Wednesday with mild and dry weather prevailing. There will be patchy low clouds and fog during the night and morning hours along the coast and across the San Joaquin Valley through Tuesday, with low clouds and fog increasing across the coastal areas by Wednesday. Daytime highs through mid-week will be in the upper 60s to upper 70s in the valleys, and in the upper 50s to upper 60s in the mountains. Minimum humidity will be in the 10-20% range across the mountains and deserts, with values expected to range from 25-40% elsewhere. Winds will generally be variable 5 to 15 mph across the district, except for gusty northwest to north winds during the night and morning hours across the Angeles and San Bernardino National Forests. After Wednesday, a series of troughs will move into the Pacific Northwest which will help to usher in a slight cooling trend across the region. Some light showers may be possible in the Bay Area starting Thursday, with showers spreading as far south as Fresno County by Saturday morning. Rainfall amounts may range up to ½ an inch across the Sierra foothills north of Fresno by Saturday evening. Another period of showers will be possible across Central California on Monday as a second storm moves into the Pacific Northwest. Snow levels in the Sierra will generally be around 8,000 feet. South of Point Conception, it will stay dry, and temperatures will remain slightly above normal through the weekend.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Feb, 2nd 2015 at 6:17:19 pm MST



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

## **Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County**

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- As a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared Napa and Solano counties, making residents and business owners eligible to apply for low-interest physical loss disaster loans. This declaration also made available low-interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) for businesses to apply in the primary counties of Napa and Solano, as well as the contiguous counties of Contra Costa, Lake, Sacramento, Sonoma, and Yolo.

## **Recovery Activities**

### Public Assistance

- RPA: 63 RPAs were received and 15 have withdrawn for a total of 48 FEMA approved open applications.
- Kickoff Meeting: 56 Kickoff Meetings have been completed leaving 1 remaining to be scheduled once through FEMA's review queue. It is currently anticipated all kickoff meetings will be complete by 1/31/2015.
- PW: 215 PWs are anticipated to be written as a result of the Napa Earthquake. Currently, 75 PWs are in draft, 85 PWs are entered into the federal database system, 62 of which have been obligated.
- Exit Briefing: 16 applicants have had Exit briefings conducted.

### Individual Assistance

- The FEMA and State VAL continue to work with nonprofit organizations in Napa and Solano Counties regarding Long Term Recovery efforts. The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is providing funds to hire initial case management staff for the Napa Earthquake Recovery Group (aka, eNERgy) and the Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG). Both Long Term Recovery Groups are seeking funds from partner agencies to assist with unmet needs.
- Assistance Centers – The Local Assistance Center (LAC) in Napa transitioned to an SBA DLOC on Tuesday 12/30/14. The smaller operation maintains a presence by SBA staff. Hours of operation are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

## **2014 Statewide December Winter Storms**

- On 12/22/14, Governor Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency in Marin, Mendocino, San Mateo, and Ventura Counties to allow Caltrans to formally request immediate assistance through FHWA's ER Program in order to obtain federal assistance for highway repairs or reconstruction for damages sustained as a result of the statewide storms impacting California. After assessing the damages, Caltrans is requesting the Governor update his proclamation to include Alameda, Contra Costa, Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, Los Angeles, Monterey, Orange, San Francisco, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma, Tehama, and Yolo Counties. Cal OES' Recovery Section conducted an assessment to verify the Counties of Lake, Marin, San Mateo, Sonoma, and Tehama's Public Assistance estimates for debris removal, emergency work, and permanent restoration of public facilities in order to determine potential eligibility for State funding.

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a biweekly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls will occur once a month beginning February 9, 2015.

# CAL OES Missions

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-INLAND-8419, 1/24/2015, 2012 hours**, One Cal OES Telecommunications Coordinator, ACS personnel, and a COW (cell on wheels) deployed to ICP in Warnersville, Stanislaus County, to support communications regarding CDFA activity with H5N8 Avian Influenza. **Mission Ongoing**



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